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PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 6832-0018-00

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
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Craig A. Rosen et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1632  
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Application No.: 09/833,245 ) Examiner: Michael L. Borin  
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Filed: April 12, 2001 ) Confirmation No. 3724  
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For: ALBUMIN FUSION PROTEINS )  
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants hereby petition for a two month extension of time to respond to the final Office Action of June 16, 2005. A fee of \$450.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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